



FISCAL UPDATE Article

Fiscal Services Division

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END OF SESSION — SF 238 — SEXUAL EXPLOITATION BY SCHOOL EMPLOYEE

Description: [Senate File 238](#) expands the Code provision establishing the criminal offense of sexual exploitation by a school employee by broadening the definition of a school employee to include full-time employees, part-time employees, substitutes, volunteers having significant routine contact with students, and persons under a contract to a school district having significant routine contact with students.

Minority Impact: There is no minority impact.

Correctional Impact: Based upon past history, it is forecasted that there would be an annual increase of five convictions, four prison admissions, one jail admission, and four residential facility admissions annually.

Fiscal Impact: It is estimated that the fiscal impact of this Act will be minimal.

Enactment Date: The Act was approved by the General Assembly on April 12, 2017, and is currently awaiting approval by the Governor. If enacted, the legislation will take effect on July 1, 2017.

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